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Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. §1.56, §1.97-1.98, Applicant hereby calls to the Examiner's attention the following copending and commonly assigned patent applications:

U.S. Patent Application No. 10/043,318 to ABE, entitled "Image Interpolating Device", which was filed on January 14, 2002;

U.S. Patent Application No. 10/050,990 to ABE, entitled "Image Interpolating Device", which was filed on January 22, 2002; and

U.S. Patent Application No. 10/050,991 to ABE, entitled "Image Interpolating Device", which was filed on January 22, 2002.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.98(a)(2)(iii), copies of the above-mentioned applications are attached hereto. However, the Examiner is also requested to review the file wrapper of these U.S. patent applications at the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office and the references of record, if any, cited therein.

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Should the Examiner have any questions, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

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